



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

May 7, 2001

Mr. Darrell L. Paster, Treasurer
McCallion for Congress
305 Madison Avenue, Ste 4600
New York, NY 10165

RE: MUR 5100
McCallion for Congress and
Darrell L. Paster, as treasurer

Dear Mr. Paster:

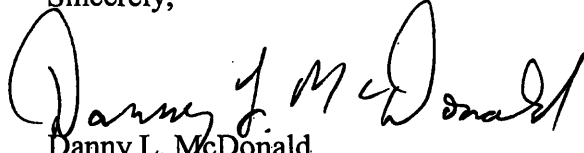
On May 1, 2001, the Federal Election Commission found reason to believe that McCallion for Congress ("Committee") and you, as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. § 434(a)(2)(A)(i), a provision of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended ("the Act."). However, after considering the circumstances of this matter, the Commission also determined to take no further action and closed its file. The Commission also found that there was no reason to believe that the Committee and you, as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. §§ 434(a)(6)(A), 441b, 441c, or 441e. The General Counsel's Report, which formed a basis for the Commission's finding, is attached for your information.

The Commission reminds you that failure to file the 12-Day Pre-Primary Report is a violation of 2 U.S.C. § 434(a)(1)(A)(i). You should take steps to ensure that this activity does not occur in the future.

The confidentiality provisions at 2 U.S.C. § 437g(a)(12) no longer apply and this matter is now public. In addition, although the complete file must be placed on the public record within 30 days, this could occur at any time following certification of the Commission's vote. If you wish to submit any factual or legal materials to appear on the public record, please do so as soon as possible. While the file may be placed on the public record before receiving your additional materials, any permissible submissions will be added to the public record upon receipt.

If you have any questions, please contact Michael E. Scurry, the attorney assigned to this matter, at (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,


Danny L. McDonald
Chairman

Enclosure:
General Counsel's Report

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